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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

Gupta et al.

Serial No.:

10/090,446

For:

A PROCESS AND AN APPARATUS FOR PREPARATION

OF PETROLEUM HYDROCARBON SOLVENT WITH

IMRPOVED COLOR STABLILITY FROM NITROGEN RICH

CRUDE OIL

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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

#### **AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM**

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

	Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby
made	if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to
be \$_	to extend the time for filing this response until

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

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Total Claims	22	Minus	38	0		x \$18.00	\$
Independent Claims	1	Minus	3	0		x \$86.00	\$
MULT	IPLE DEPENDEN	T CLAIM FEE					x \$280.00 = \$
TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES							\$0.00

The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be 0.00.

A check in the an	nount of \$0.00	is attached.							
XXX The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to <b>Deposit Account No. 01-0467.</b> A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.									
May 24, 2004 Date	Attor Regi Ohla One Stan Tele		icants 31,019 , Ruggiero & Pei quare, 10 <sup>th</sup> Flooi 901-2682 ) 327-4500						
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### **AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on February 24, 2004, for the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.